FIRE NEAR HOTEL STAMPEDES GUESTS

Nightrobed Men and Women Desert St. James.

SALOON IN REAR IN FLAMES

Building Completely Gutted-Firemen Respond Quickly to Alarm-Dis-

women, clad in night clothes, grabbed street garments and valuables and rushed downstairs to the office and main

The night clerk and bell boys tried to reassure them. None would return to his or her apartment until the firemen left the scene.

Discovered by Watchman.

The timely discovery of G. T. Queen,

saved the hotel from fire and probably not a few lives. At 3:35 o'clock this morning he was making his rounds and sinelled pine wood burning. He hurried to the alley in the rear of the hotel. From George Coldenstroth's saloon great volumes of thick, black smoke vere coming from a second story window. A second or two later flames rushed out.

Queen ran to box 16 and turned in an alarm, Within a few moments almost all the downtown fire department apparatus was on the scene.

Unusual haste was made because the box is located directly in front of the hotel. It was believed the St. James was on fire. Firemen got into action in remarkably short time, and five minutes after the alarm was sounded half a dozen powerful streams were being played upon the burning building.

Flames Spread Rapidly.

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The flames spread rapidly despite the great amount of water that was being thrown upon them. The front door wa broken open, and firemen entered with axes and several streams of water. Ladders were run up to the window of the second story back room. The stifling smoke and flames were still rushing out, but with sponges in their mouths, the firemen stood at the open-

FORMER SALVATION ARMY

Edward Coyle, the former Salvation Army man, who appeared in Judge

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The rain is not over, neither is there any apparent hope that the intense

Air Full of Wet.

nost unbearable.

get a pretty fair idea of what is doing in the weather line.

Guests in the St. James Hotel, Sixth street and Pennsylvania avenue northwest, were thrown into a panic about 3:30 o'clock this morning, when a saloon in the rear was discovered afire.

The flames leaped high in the air and licked the walls of the hotel. Men and women, clad in night clothes, graphed As a rule, the Weather Bureau ther-

Didn't Do a Thing. The effects of Wednesday evening's Rarely has Washington suffered more from pure humidity than in the past storm are to be seen all over the city, from pure humidity than in the past few days. The air is laden down with moisture. This, in addition to precipitating the remarkable rain storm of Wednesday and subsequent showers yesterday, makes life in Washington almost unbearable. Thirty-fifth street was partially washed The temperature is not high, at least away. Awnings and fences were blown not unreasonably so for this season of down and property damaged in a great

RING IN BALTIMORE

When Caught Here He Said He Took One Man Injured and Other Passenit to Get Even With His Employer.

Wanted in Baltimore on a charge of

The exterior of the small lunch room south of the saloon was also slightly damaged.

BRIGHTWOOD LAWN FETE WILL BE CONTINUED

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Owing to the heavy rains the lawn fete of the Brightwood Tent, Knights of the Maccabees, scheduled for July 4, 5, 6, and 5, was not held last night or the night before, but will be continued this evening and Saturday and also Monday and Tuesday.

Many members and friends of the Brightwood tent were present on the opening night. Among the many attractions are music, dancing, paddle stand, rag babbs, refreshment booths of many kinds, and stands at which fruit and other articles can be bought at reason able prices.

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WORKER IS FINED \$30

Coyle, the former Salvation

HELD UNDER HEAVY BOND.

Bond in the sum of \$500 was fixed by Judge Scott, in the United States branch american Medical Association convention, July 11 to 14. Consult agents for Court this morning, when Scott's court last week, charged with the larceny of some clothes, the property of the army, was this morning fined \$30, with the alternative of spending thirty days in the workhouse, As he had not the \$30 he stepped back.

Coyle was connected with the Salvation Army for about a year, and a week or so ago he was sent out with a wagon to collect some clothes donated for the use of the army, but failed to arrive at headquarters.

\$12.20 Buffalo and Return, Baltimore

\$12.20 Buffalo and Return, Baltimore & Ohio R. R. July 8, 9, 10, Good for return until 15th, but tickets may be ex-tended until July 25th upon payment 50c fee. Account B. P. O. E. Grand Lodge Convention.

3r.00 Frederick, Antietam (Keedysville),

gers Frightened by Acci-

until the flames were extinguished.

A few moments later the men with the axes cut away all the wood on which there was any blaze. The last dying ember was extinguished with chemical water.

The saloon, located at 216 Sixth street northwest, was completely gutted. Many bottles of wine exploded and whisky ran like water on the floor. The damage is estimated at about \$300.

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HAS DONE MUCH TO ADORN CITY

Edifices Erected by James L. Parsons Numerous.

Served in Confederate Army and Had Good Record as a Soldier.



JAMES L. PARSONS Got Contract to Erect New Municipal Building.

James L. Parsons, who has secured the contract to build the new Municipal Building, is one of the Washingtonians who has done much to make the National Capital a city of pretentious edi-ANOTHER STRIKES IT flows. He built Stoneleigh Court, at Connecticut avenue and L street, for the late Secretary Hay; the Marlbor-ough apartment house, on Eighteenth street, near K; the Hubbard Memorial Building, at Sixteenth and M streets; the College of History at the American University, in the suburbs, the Census Office, the Business High School, the adrison School, the Reform School water tower, the addition to the Bureau of

Japanese, was arrested on Pennsylvania avenue northwest, this morning, by Detectives Hartigan and Baur, of the Central Office.

He was sent to the Sixth precinct, where he was detained until a detective from Baltimore arrived and took him back to the Monumental City to stand trial for his alleged crime.

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Cor. Ninth and E Sts. N. W.

EUGENE P. GARGES' BODY ARRIVES IN WASHINGTON

Reached City Last Night Accompanied by His Brother-Funeral Tomorrow Morning.

The body of Eugene P. Garges, who LEARNED TRADE IN KANSAS ing of a sail boat on Gull Lake, Mich., arrived at 8:30 last night, accompanied was drowned on Tuesday by the capsizby Samuel J. Garges, a brother of the deceased, and were taken immediately to the family residence, 713 North Carolina avenue northeast.

William H. Garges, another brother of the deceased, is now on his way home from Mexico, and is in ignorance of the sad death of his brother. He will not arrive in time for the funeral. The funeral will be held tomorrow

The funeral will be held tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock, from St. Peter's Church, Second and C streets southeast. The Rev. Hugh A. Curley, assistant pastor of the church, will celebrate a requiem mass. The pallbearers have been selected from the members of the Sigma Chi fraternity, of which Mr. Garges was a member, as follows: Messrs. Edwin Evans, Vivian Everett, Max Winter, Robert Welde, and Lee Hyson. Interment will be at Mt. Olivet Cemetery.

NAVY YARD EMPLOYES DO PHILANTHROPIC WORK

The employes of the navy yard will this summer repeat their philauthropic dren and mothers, who seldom, if ever, are able to afford a day's outing, to River View. The party will be arranged for by the summer outings committee of the Associated Charities, but all ex-penses will be met by the employes of the navy yard.

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Man-tailored Linen Suits are Man-tailored Linen Suits are thus sacrificed. Almost every imaginable good style this year included. Extra Long Coats, Fifty-inch Coats, Eton Jackets, Frock and Frill Coats; tight-fitting, semi-fitting, and loose; long sleeves and short; skirts beautifully tailored in plain or fancy effects.

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Loose Coats, Plain semi-fitted coats, 45-inch coats; some extremely full; all are beautiful garments, many being elaborately adorned with

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